*Monday, October 7, 2013*

**Name Above Every Name**

Matthew 7:21-23 Not everyone that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. 22 Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? And in thy name have cast out devils? And in thy name done many wonderful works? 23 And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity. (KJV)

Swing and a miss, strike three, you’re out of there. In baseball you get to stand up to the plate and swing away hoping to make contact and progress around the bases, with the goal of making it home. As we see above, and as we will see throughout the Word, many will strike out someday even though they thought they were swinging for the fences. Do take note that the downfall above involved a name, one they thought they knew, but didn’t. Hopefully this week you will have a better understanding of the only name given to mankind whereby we can be saved.

Matthew 11:25-27 At that time Jesus answered and said, I thank thee, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because thou hast hid these things from the wise and prudent, and hast revealed them unto babes. 26 Even so, Father: for so it seemed good in thy sight. 27 All things are delivered unto me of my Father: and no man knows the Son, but the Father; neither knoweth any man the Father, save the Son, and he to whomsoever the Son will reveal him. (KJV)

No matter how many sermons you have heard, or how many tapes you listen to you cannot know the Father except through His Son. Nor can you know the Son until He is revealed to you personally. Now it may seem like a no brainer, yet it takes the eyes of your spiritual understanding to be enlightened to the name which is above every name. Without this personal revelation from above many are still in the dark and only able to give a partial or outward answer to this mystery. However, for those that have ears to hear they are able to see beyond the flesh and into the Spirit.

Matthew 16:15-17 He saith unto them, But who say ye that I am? 16 And Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God. 17 And Jesus answered and said unto him, Blessed art thou, Simon Barjona: for flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee, but my Father which is in heaven. (KJV)

Our Lord has a name, a complete one which reveals who He is; and when He has revealed that name to you He is then able to show you who you are. Today I hear so many teach and preach in the name of Jesus leaving Christ in the dugout. Yet with that said, see where Peter got his answer from and take note that it was considered blessed.

Galatians1:15-16 But when it pleased God, who separated me from my mother's womb, and called me by his grace, 16 To reveal his Son in me, that I might preach him among the heathen; immediately I conferred not with flesh and blood: (KJV)

You can easily see and hear those that are not having a conference call with the Lord; they are the ones who are only able to see and comprehend our Lord after the outward man. If you desire to have the carnal umbilical cord cut so that you can mature and be complete in Christ you will need to get your answer from above. So please don’t settle for what man has to offer, but get the lines of communication open so that you can hear the complete name for yourself.

God bless dearly loved, and have a prosperous day in Christ Jesus our Lord.